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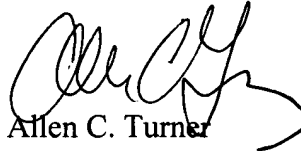
Applicants have received and reviewed the Notice of Allowance of May 31, 2005. Claims on PTOL-37 are listed as 1, 8-11, 14-19, 29 and 33. Applicants believe this to be a clerical error and that the allowed claims are claims 1, 8-9, 11, 14-19, 29, 33 and 35.

Applicants anticipate that clarification of the claims list will not jeopardize the progress of the patent to issue.

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Should there be any questions, the Office is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

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